

PEC Chairman's Report to the BOPC

June 23, 2022

The Pilot Evaluation Committee met on June 15th, 2022. The members present were Captains Aune, Ruff, Slack, Wehr and myself. Captain Garfinkle joined the meeting in open session so we could discuss an overview of the past month. All PEC members, outside evaluators, Cal HR personnel, Cal Maritime staff, Captain Garfinkle and Captain Gates helped conduct the Simulator Exam at the California Maritime Academy on June 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. The exam was difficult and PEC agrees it produced a quality list of future trainees. I would like to acknowledge the hard work and long hours by many people to help make this exam a reality. The interview portion of the exam is pending before the final list is made public.

Agenda item A:

The eight active trainees include Adams, Barnum, Burns, Meyer, Olmsted, Pascucci, Sappington, and Snapp. The trainee's range of time in the program span from 2 months to 32 months. Adams, Olmstead, Barnum and Snapp have First Class pilotage endorsement for unlimited tonnage upon San Francisco Bay issued by the Coast Guard on their federal license's. Adams, Olmstead, Barnum and Snapp are handling in all areas. Adams is on probation and continues to work on consistency in his piloting. Burns, Meyer, Pascucci and Sappington are acquiring route trips and handling or part handle vessels in all areas. In closed session, all trainees were individually interviewed and counseled on their progress in the training program. Most of the trainees are meeting the recommended benchmarks and are progressing at their own rates. The next PEC meeting is scheduled for July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at 0730 in this office.

Agenda item B:

No action at this time

Agenda item C:

No action at this time

Agenda item D:

No action at this time

Respectfully submitted, Captain Eric Robinson